

RAMBLING REMARKS

And Comments Concerning Leading Topics and Recent Occurrences.

Walter N. Allen received a larger vote than any other of the presidential electors. His vote was 163,111, and the others ranged from that down to 161,919.

Prof. H. N. Gaines, state superintendent-elect, has moved his family from Salina to Topeka, and has selected D. D. Hornaday, of Abilene, as his assistant.

Dr. Scott, father of Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, died in Washington, D. C., on the 29th. His remains were buried at Washington, Pennsylvania, on Thursday.

Jay Gould died at his home in New York last Friday, the direct cause of death being consumption. A good many papers that have defended his business methods for years are now saying cruel things about the man.

A report from Cowley county has it that Ben Clover has been sued by his better half for a divorce, the plaintiff alleging in her petition that he was extremely cruel to her. There may be something in it, but the idea of Benjamin being extremely cruel or extremely anything except sleepy, is preposterous.

The State Temperance Union, at its meeting last week, elected the following officers: President, D. C. Milner, of Manhattan; vice president, Sam T. Howe, of Topeka; secretary, F. O. Popenoe, of Topeka; treasurer, Mrs. S. A. Thurston, of Topeka. James A. Troutman and I. O. Pickering, late prohibition candidate for governor, are on the executive committee.

A contest has been filed by E. B. Cabbell, the Pratt county candidate for presidential elector, whom the canvassing board refused to give an election certificate because his name did not appear in some of the county returns. Mr. Dewey, the republican who was declared elected, will probably not spend much money to prevent his opponent from getting a certificate, since he knows Cabbell was elected, and there is no money in the office anyway. The contest court will be composed of the same officials that were on the canvassing board, and the hearing is set for December 16.

A press dispatch from Chicago, dated December 1, says: "The United Railway Men of America," a railway organization which may prove one of the most powerful of the time, has just been born. Its headquarters are in Chicago, and it will include members in the United States, Mexico and Canada. It will discard insurance and all such side features and will have for its object the maintenance of wages and the redress of grievances. It will not antagonize the brotherhoods of railway employees now in existence, but will recruit its membership from among the unorganized railway men, of whom the leaders claim there are 750,000 in the United States. The order will join in legislative action with the Knights of Labor, American Federation of Labor and the Farmers' Alliance. An executive committee of eleven members will be the controlling body. The order will include the brotherhoods of engineers, firemen, brakemen, conductors, yardmen, trackmen, clerks, telegraphers, blacksmiths, boilermakers, agents, painters, car inspectors and repairers.

American Bi-metallic League.

We present this week a picture of Hon. A. C. Shinn, who is now vice president for Kansas of the American Bi-metallic League by appointment of the executive committee of said organization, in place of Hon. John J. Ingalls, who was originally appointed to that position. Mr.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF KANSAS ELECTIONS.

The official vote of Kansas for 1892 on president, governor, and congressman-at-large. Also columns giving highest vote ever polled, highest republican vote ever polled, and the presidential vote of 1888:

COUNTIES.	PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.		GOVERNOR.		CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE.		Highest vote ever polled.	Highest republican vote ever polled.	PRESIDENTIAL VOTE OF 1888.					
	Harrison.	Wheeler.	Smith.	Lowell.	Anthony.	Harris.			Monroe (Pro).	Harrison.	Cleveland.	Stewart (U. L.)		
Allen	1,898	1,398	40	1,607	1,423	35	1,585	1,438	34	3,331	1,956	1,886	1,036	332
Anderson	1,833	1,476	94	1,635	1,480	89	1,828	1,487	83	3,343	1,843	1,843	960	269
Atholston	2,667	2,718	38	2,688	2,879	45	2,490	2,818	44	6,179	3,306	3,219	2,693	332
Barber	882	1,438	17	968	1,365	12	889	1,337	14	2,002	977	977	710	304
Barton	1,381	1,816	7	1,423	1,712	5	1,398	1,794	.....	2,782	1,353	1,353	1,228	101
Bourbon	2,803	2,861	66	2,753	2,929	20	2,776	2,894	24	6,254	3,568	3,559	1,831	806
Brown	2,582	2,260	110	2,880	2,228	103	2,556	2,254	96	4,851	2,696	2,696	1,803	235
Butler	2,649	2,705	95	2,654	2,702	37	2,643	2,703	91	5,730	3,179	3,172	1,616	731
Chase	891	971	18	895	969	18	894	976	18	2,081	1,126	1,126	593	339
Chautauque	1,406	1,392	6	1,408	1,369	4	1,412	1,361	6	3,169	1,755	1,590	694	406
Cherokee	2,696	3,762	61	2,714	3,714	59	2,710	3,733	60	6,434	2,935	2,935	2,038	1,269
Chester	505	486	10	500	492	9	505	488	9	1,235	779	779	420	22
Clark	226	304	2	226	285	2	226	305	2	922	473	473	394	98
Clay	1,066	2,038	101	1,089	2,012	99	1,087	2,017	94	3,788	2,170	1,914	920	794
Cleburn	1,915	2,268	74	1,931	2,264	67	1,919	2,276	63	4,269	2,689	2,512	1,063	557
Colfax	1,789	1,886	66	1,786	1,880	57	1,787	1,882	60	3,746	1,988	1,970	1,277	440
Comanche	259	310	.....	259	312	.....	262	308	.....	667	400	400	381	93
Cowley	3,886	3,897	137	3,900	3,877	120	3,876	3,900	127	7,699	4,112	4,112	1,933	1,534
Crawford	3,004	4,163	86	3,087	4,155	76	3,069	4,161	79	6,518	3,156	3,156	1,375	1,352
Decatur	619	683	2	627	690	7	621	668	6	2,132	1,234	1,234	731	131
Dickinson	2,419	2,647	95	2,456	2,640	51	2,439	2,653	.....	5,971	2,746	2,746	1,695	473
Doniphan	2,162	1,185	9	2,159	1,191	9	2,161	1,188	8	3,683	2,245	2,245	1,109	14
Douglas	3,114	2,174	147	3,126	2,170	148	3,097	2,309	132	5,532	3,366	3,189	1,969	217
Edwards	399	472	5	399	473	5	397	475	5	1,009	549	541	334	114
Elk	1,235	1,369	13	1,234	1,370	10	1,228	1,376	11	3,027	1,802	1,586	696	600
Ellis	546	1,069	14	590	1,026	12	586	1,021	12	1,553	694	690	756	165
Ellsworth	1,102	1,097	14	1,092	1,106	14	1,095	1,103	19	2,951	1,159	1,159	831	39
Finney	478	338	4	477	342	3	469	343	3	1,102	694	694	348	49
Ford	648	555	.....	655	562	.....	649	569	.....	1,681	882	882	430	119
Franklin	2,269	2,431	126	2,217	2,424	159	2,125	2,447	152	4,799	2,422	2,422	1,113	1,066
Garfield	162	69	.....	163	69	.....	161	70	.....	362	225	225	129	3
Geary	863	1,113	44	865	1,102	43	863	1,106	43	1,890	1,037	1,037	739	97
Gove	397	248	.....	394	261	.....	390	251	.....	880	536	536	374	7
Graham	436	545	.....	434	553	.....	433	546	.....	1,194	777	797	345	245
Grant	151	131	.....	148	134	.....	149	132	.....	886	399	399	245	51
Gray	377	249	1	376	227	1	375	228	.....	706	417	417	268	48
Greene	241	114	.....	245	111	.....	243	113	.....	715	422	422	180	105
Greenwood	1,734	1,780	23	1,731	1,778	29	1,733	1,775	.....	3,941	2,242	2,242	1,110	542
Hamilton	252	186	10	251	192	5	254	190	5	812	480	480	295	28
Harper	1,288	1,986	64	1,299	1,963	58	1,280	1,963	58	3,054	1,621	1,490	940	537
Harvey	2,025	1,750	54	2,085	1,692	47	2,002	1,717	.....	3,944	2,242	2,145	1,065	670
Haskell	177	111	.....	178	110	.....	175	113	.....	599	291	291	197	21
Hodgeman	363	223	7	362	224	5	360	227	.....	880	563	563	230	83
Jackson	1,825	1,605	29	1,830	1,594	26	1,821	1,600	22	3,304	1,979	1,979	1,230	13
Jefferson	2,025	1,973	57	2,043	1,969	45	2,012	1,985	49	3,982	2,268	2,268	1,601	11
Jewell	1,989	2,225	118	1,967	2,225	113	1,954	2,231	116	4,169	2,394	2,285	999	757
Johnson	2,070	1,931	99	2,067	1,898	126	2,057	1,943	92	4,073	2,164	2,164	1,435	303
Kearney	219	141	.....	214	144	.....	219	141	.....	618	367	367	248	21
Kingman	1,235	1,584	62	1,211	1,580	48	1,203	1,578	52	2,815	1,413	1,413	622	766
Kiowa	388	376	16	410	370	8	409	373	8	1,043	625	625	381	107
Labette	2,950	3,116	94	2,975	3,090	82	2,953	3,011	87	6,057	3,475	2,870	976	2,136
Lane	284	222	5	287	219	4	285	222	4	795	459	459	367	49
Leavenworth	3,471	3,880	52	3,490	3,838	46	3,337	4,080	30	7,251	3,595	3,516	3,272	335
Lincoln	878	1,348	15	880	1,348	7	886	1,346	11	2,094	1,069	1,069	617	349
Linn	2,046	2,063	36	2,038	2,072	37	2,033	2,082	21	4,125	2,332	2,166	892	1,119
Logan	451	329	.....	455	331	.....	453	333	.....	945	609	609	283	33
Lyon	2,591	2,633	129	2,623	2,611	119	2,595	2,618	120	5,015	3,070	3,014	1,477	499
Marion	2,300	1,882	87	2,288	1,632	75	2,227	1,654	87	3,948	2,375	2,375	1,233	219
Marshall	2,531	2,338	117	2,534	2,305	117	2,521	2,341	117	5,370	2,676	2,547	1,815	835
McPherson	2,594	2,333	109	2,592	2,362	93	2,591	2,346	102	4,406	2,597	2,379	829	1,181
Meade	261	214	1	265	211	.....	263	214	.....	1,018	578	578	342	91
Miami	2,243	2,240	45	2,284	2,240	40	2,235	2,299	39	4,229	2,170	2,170	1,800	395
Mitchell	1,467	1,855	50	1,469	1,864	41	1,460	1,870	40	2,998	1,790	1,676	890	397
Montgomery	2,738	2,614	31	2,750	2,509	25	2,735	2,612	28	5,662	3,049	2,671	1,893	709
Morris	1,416	1,323	43	1,429	1,323	37	1,408	1,336	41	2,745	1,612	1,612	840	223
Morton	106	76	3	107	76	.....	107	77	1	574	333	333	205	29
Nemaha	2,222	2,194	52	2,228	2,171	49	2,210	2,212	47	4,371	2,575	2,515	1,692	81
Neosho	2,000	2,170	13	2,014	2,160	19	1,998	2,173	12	4,957	2,134	2,134	1,144	981
Neosho	485	599	29	483	555	27	486	590	27	1,556	881	891	470	124
Norton	1,054	1,050	40	1,070	1,078	11	1,065	1,082	40	2,899	1,471	1,471	631	406
Osage	2,695	3,170	173	2,697	3,182	162	2,699	3,181	157	5,887	3,442	3,442	1,360	1,001
Osborne	1,162	1,390	19	1,158	1,388	14	1,156	1,384	15	2,598	1,690	1,690	684	182
Ottawa	1,444	1,541	56	1,461	1,518	33	1,452	1,532	52	2,798	1,639	1,589	709	366
Pawnee	670	722	8	663	728	6	671	721	7	1,445	896	896	303	269
Phillips	1,352	1,469	8	1,354	1,461	9	1,348	1,467	10	3,071	1,681	1,682	673	592
Pottawatomie	2,107	2,101	23	2,135	2,087	16	2,079	2,140	18	4,272	2,419	2,419	1,471	162
Pratt	947	1,170	26	977	1,154	19	967	1,165	23	2,222	1,115	1,115	652	370
Rawlins	692	756	4	681	761	4	685	761	3	1,785	1,023	1,023	630	127
Reao	3,186	3,088	69	3,186	3,088	46	3,178	3,085	61	5,759	3,398	3,398	1,841	366
Republic	2,167	2,049	115	2,170	2,062	106	2,160	2,068	102	4,069	2,595	2,595	1,205	110
Rice	1,734	1,821	140	1,731	1,826	136	1,723	1,825	135	3,263	1,851	1,851	984	288
Riley	1,574	1,430	45	1,583	1,423	42	1,570	1,431	42	2,970	1,856	1,856	772	286
Books	811	817	34	830	846	31	811	857	32	1,907	1,112	1,112	412	350
Rush	570	616	14	578	629	10								